ABSTRACT

An eccentric planar fluorescent tube comprises a planar fluorescent tubular portion, two tube-ends drawing out filaments, and a leg member provided at the tube-ends. Based on known planar fluorescent tubes, said two tube-ends extend from a periphery side of said tubular portion to said periphery side along a plane defined by tubular segments at which the two tube-ends exist, so as to form two increased extended tubular segments, and a passage which passes a center of the tube plane is formed at said periphery side and between said two extended tubular segments. One side of said leg member is held on a periphery tubular segment at another side of said periphery, other side thereof is held on two extended ends, and power supplying pins which are electrically connected to the filaments at both tube-ends are protruded from the leg member.